

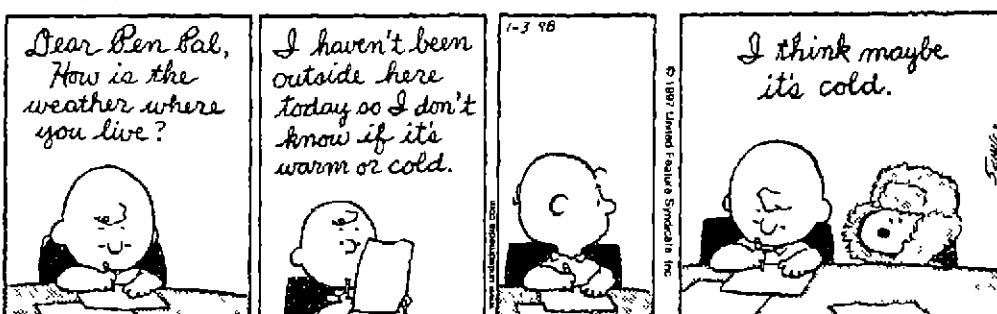
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ACROSS

1 Furs, fancy cars, etc

6 Tipples

12 — the thought!

18 Heretofore, before

19 Skin condition

20 Type of mining

22 Hook-to-line attachment

24 Flowering tropical shrub

25 Fast flier

26 A Supreme

27 Fortune teller

29 Makes an impression

30 Yalies

32 Country's Campbell et al

34 Meets one's Waterloo

36 Enumerate

37 Woody element in plant stems

39 Type of soda

41 Interconnection

43 Frat letters

44 Lovey —

46 Lawn equipment

48 Coastal bays

50 Steeps, as tea

53 Christie and Karenina

54 Speak off the cuff

55 Windshield spray

56 By chance

57 Country at zero latitude

59 Building projections

60 Jet

61 Skids

62 Know, in Kensington

64 Exclamations

65 Grandma's ties?

67 Obluscale

68 "— Man River"

69 One of five

70 Taper a timber

71 Elder or

72 Trans Siberian RR city

74 Flaming

75 Ogres

76 Yucky muck

77 Threadbare

113 Remus and

14 Split apart

15 Computer giant, for short

16 Senor's knot?

17 Gives clues

18 Earl of —

21 Takes a bite

23 Metal residues

28 North Sea

31 Leads astray

33 Former Georgia senator

35 Gets the upper hand

38 Role for Heslon

40 Knob-like knot

42 Manner

45 Poetry Abbr

47 Knack

49 Ovine disease

50 Germ slate

51 Kathmandu native

112 Pencil part

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1 Like King's tales

2 Hearty soup

3 Gerund ending

4 Gave the facts

5 German author

6 Chow house

7 Gasoline rating

8 Light wts

9 Airships, Abbr.

10 Computer communication

11 Surgeon, unkindly

12 Thumb

13 Environ agcy

52 Angler's bow

53 Sneezeweed

54 An angle

56 Side

57 Hasten to wed

58 Golf games

60 Crystal form

61 Small drum

63 Romantic rendezvous

65 Bolder

66 Clicked needles

67 Makes hallow

69 Marshes

71 Pub portions

73 Family

74 Greek nickname

75 Watery lowland

77 One of the sharks

78 Become more profound

79 Type of golf ball

80 Glassy

81 "— Only Just Begun"

82 Cozy place?

85 "All the — a stage"

87 Starts the pump

89 Conditional freedom

90 Up

91 Riskey fruits

93 Subdues

95 Goggle

97 Follow on the heels

100 Spawn of fish

102 Ginger —

104 Taverns

107 Diamond lady

109 Brownie's org

110 Mil training sch

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HOROSCOPE

For Sunday, Jan. 4, 1998

ARIES (March 21 to April 19) Procrastination isn't advised. There are still a number of household chores to tackle.**TAURUS** (April 20 to May 20) You make an important decision about your career — which dramatically shifts your direction.**GEMINI** (May 21 to June 20) You've earned a day of rest, but be sure you don't carry it over into the workweek.**CANCER** (June 21 to July 22) Life isn't always fair, as you well know. You need to deal with things as they are for a while.**LEO** (July 23 to Aug. 22) A productive morning leads into a peaceful, relaxing afternoon. Later, your thoughts turn to the workweek ahead.**VIRGO** (Aug. 23 to Sept. 22) The perfectionist in you spots insignificant details most people miss — which leads you to marshal your loved ones into a cleaning frenzy.**LIBRA** (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) You can relate to what a close friend is telling you. Since you've had a similar experience, you can be a major help.**SCORPIO** (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) It's not always easy for you to get others to go along with you. However, this time you have just the right words to be convincing.**SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) Stop feeling so put upon! You needn't always ride to the rescue.**CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22 to Jan. 19) It's time to roll up your sleeves and get to work. You've been avoiding a certain project for some time.**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 20 to Feb. 18) You're easygoing and affectionate with friends and family. Singles should avoid misleading romantic interests.**PISCES** (Feb. 19 to March 20) You need to take a deep breath and a step back. Your nerves are on edge for some reason.

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ACROSS

1 Farmer's field

490's singer

10 Caesar and others

14 Actress Joanne

15 Conference USA

16 Turn — profit

17 Best-selling author of 1978

19 Explorer Cabeza de

20 — reflection

21 One for the history books

22 Rather

23 Sleep

25 Focal point

26 Innsbruck is its capital

27 Photo —

30 Winter holiday

31 Site of a 1967 civil war

34 Boy lead-in

35 Short lived 1986 TV sitcom

40 Common theater name

41 Art songs

42 Penny sometimes

43 Quetus

44 TV cartoon dog

49 Top dogs

50 Cuts, in a way

52 MacLachlan of "Twin Peaks"

53 Author Zora

54 Scope

57 Suffix with flex

58 It went down when the Valdez crashed

DOWN

1 Fiddle with

2 Suffix in many class names

3 London Sun tidbit

4 Price abbr

5 Offended

6 1966 Michael Caine film

7 Au —

8 "Suicide Blonde" rock group

9 Following

10 Much of Cuba

11 Not at the counter

12 Say one will

13 Requirement to wear seat belts, e.g.

18 Not exo

24 Hamburg's river

27 Rubbed out

28 Give a pointer to?

ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE

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STOPTIME GOCART

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